

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF RIGHTS TO THE USE OF WATER FROM
THE BEAR RIVER BASIN WATER SYSTEM

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**NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW**

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1. Name of Claimant(s)

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2. Date of Priority: 4/1/1890

3. Source:

OVID CREEK
OVID CREEK

Trib. to:

BEAR RIVER
BEAR RIVER

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	¼ of ¼ of ¼	Lot	County	Type
13S	43E	23	NE NW		BEAR LAKE	
13S	43E	23	NE NW		BEAR LAKE	

5. Description of diverting works:

There are two dams in Ovid Creek that I use to divert water to flood irrigate my fields. Part of this ground is also irrigated with water shares from South Liberty & MFG Co.

6. Water is used for the following purposes:

Purpose	From	To	C.F.S.	(or)	A.F.A
IRRIGATION	4/01	11/01	2.4		

7. Total Quantity Appropriated is:

2.4 C.F.S. and/or A.F.A.

8. Non-irrigation uses:

9. Place of use:

IRRIGATION within BEAR LAKE County

Township	Range	Section	¼	of	¼	Lot	Acres
13S	43E	23	NW		NE		1.3
13S	43E	23	SW		NE		32
13S	43E	23	SE		NE		18
13S	43E	23	NE		NW		10
13S	43E	23	SE		NW		33
13S	43E	23	NE		SW		6.1
13S	43E	23	NE		SE		1.8
13S	43E	23	NW		SE		5.1
13S	43E	24	SW		NW		0.1

Total Acres = 107.4

10. Do you own the property listed above as place of use? Yes

If your answer is no, describe in remarks below the authority you have to claim this water right.

11. Other Water Rights Used:

11-4021

12. Remarks:

Priority Date Explanation:

This is the date claimed on the Statutory Claim by my parents and kin. I found some homestead documents also from this time period that cover my farm. I believe this to be the earliest time when this ground was being irrigated.

13. Basis of Claim: Statutory Claim

14. Signature(s)

(a.) By signing below, I/We acknowledge that I/We have received, read and understand the form entitled "How you will receive notice in the BEAR River Basin Adjudication." (b.) I/We do _____ do not _____ wish to receive and pay a small annual fee for monthly copies of the docket sheet.

Number of attachments: 3

For Individuals:

I/We do solemnly swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

Signature of Claimant(s): Jay Dean Ward Date: 6-20-2023
Paula Jean Ward Date: 6-20-2023

Land Patent Details

Accession Nr: ID0010__465 Document Type: State Volume Patent State: Idaho Issue Date: 10/23/1889 Cancelled: No

Names On Document

 JENSEN, LARS P

Military Rank: ---

Miscellaneous Information

Land Office: Blackfoot
 US Reservations: No
 Mineral Reservations: No
 Tribe: ---
 Militia: ---
 State In Favor Of: ---
 Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566)

Document Numbers

Document Nr: 550
 Misc. Doc. Nr: ---
 BLM Serial Nr: IDIDAA 011873
 Indian Allot. Nr: ---

Survey Information

Total Acres: 160.00
 Survey Date: ---
 Geographic Name: ---
 Metes/Bounds: No

Land Descriptions

State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Section	Survey #	County
ID	Boise	013S - 043E	S½NE¼	23		Bear Lake
ID	Boise	013S - 043E	W½NW¼	24		Bear Lake

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Accession Nr: ID0030__316 Document Type: State Volume Patent State: Idaho Issue Date: 10/31/1892 Cancelled: No

Names On Document

 RICH, JOEL H

Military Rank:

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Document Numbers

Document Nr: 830

Misc. Doc. Nr: ---

BLM Serial Nr: IDIDAA 011892

Indian Allot. Nr: ---

Survey Information

Total Acres: 40.00

Survey Date:

Geographic Name:

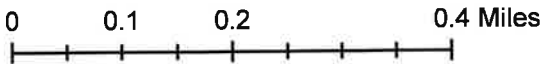
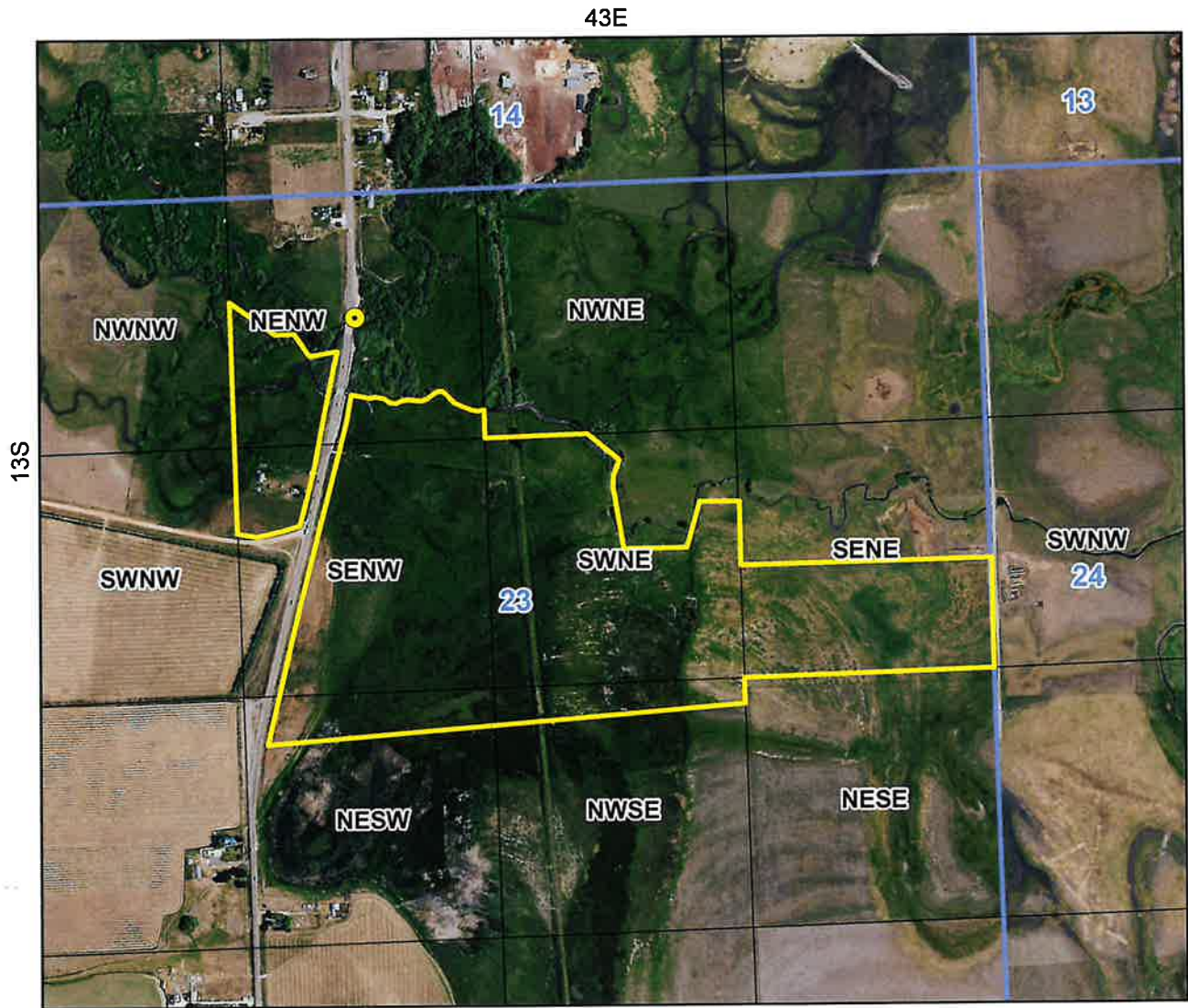
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State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Adjudication Claim
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-  Place Of Use Boundary
-  Townships
-  PLS Sections
-  Quarter Quarters
-  Point of Diversion

